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IRONTON, MISSOURI.
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1903.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Turkey week coming.

Just a week until Thanksgiving.

De Soto wants no more street fairs.

The chrysanthemum is in its glory.

The Maccabees' ball Thanksgiving night.

Circuit Court in Reynolds county next week.

Greater Bonanza has a greater ad. this week.

John W. Callahan has leased the Forster cottage.

See notice of special city election December 8th.

Mullin & Brown have a new advertisement this week.

From summer to winter—from Monday to Tuesday last.

Mrs. Blemel expects to remove to Farmington next week.

The burglars of the Pilot Knob post-office secured about \$95.

Fires in the woods have made lots of smoke the past week.

M. Joseph has an advertisement in this issue of the REGISTER.

Several movers' wagons, north-bound, passed through town last week.

Joe Cox now has a position as salesman with the Greater Bonanza.

Services at the Presbyterian church next Sabbath morning and evening as usual.

Thanksgiving Day services on next Thursday, 11 A. M., at the Presbyterian church.

The prospects are very fair that we will have much better train service in the near future.

Chas. P. Damron, attorney at law and notary public, has a card in this issue of the REGISTER.

With the first touch of winter how icy the blast that sweeps down the valley from the north!

Melroy Bros. minstrel show at the Academy of Music last Friday night was well patronized.

The minstrel show that was here last Friday is spending this week in towns on the Belmont branch.

Another town that doesn't like the present train schedule, Irondale is asking for better service.

The government is advertising for bids for a stone wall to be built back of the pits at the rifle range.

The boys and the girls both in the public school are very much interested in foot ball these days.

Miss Flora Carter, the Nightingale Whistler, will be heard with Ten Nights in a Bar-Room, Nov. 24th.

The thermometer registered twelve degrees Wednesday morning. Plenty cold enough for November.

Some pavements in town have long been neglected. They should be improved and repaired without more delay.

To Mr. Robert Hotsen we are again indebted for some very fine scenery. It is just as good as is grown anywhere.

Bishop Tuttle held services at St. Paul's church last Sunday morning and evening. There were no confessions.

Our old friend, F. A. Ebrecht of Pilot Knob, made his annual trip to Ironton last Friday and paid us a very pleasant call.

The Missionary Institute for the Farmington District of the M. E. Church, South, is in session at Bismarck this week.

A hunting party consisting of W. H. Whitworth, Thompson Blanton and Jas. G. Austin are on Crane Pond this week.

City Collector O'Neal asks us to again warn the tax-payers that city taxes will soon go delinquent. Pay up before it is too late.

The ladies of St. Paul's Guild will hold their annual bazaar at the Academy of Music, December 10th. Look for future announcements.

W. E. Lacks and family who have been living in the Valley for several months returned to their home in Poplar Bluff last Friday.

There came a very near being a collision between No. 8 and a freight train at Arcadia one day last week. It was a narrow escape.

Mrs. E. J. Thomas has opened a restaurant and grocery store in the building south of the REGISTER office. John Thomas is in charge.

When ever you want job printing of any kind remember that the REGISTER is well prepared to serve you. Best of work at reasonable prices.

A number of industries along the road have been compelled to shut down because the railroad company will not furnish them with cars.

A member of the Ursuline Sisters in St. Louis was brought from St. Louis last Thursday evening and interred in the Convent burying ground.

W. P. Wemp has resigned as agent of the St. L. I. M. & S. Railway at this place and will likely engage in the brokerage business at Jonesboro, Arkansas. He will probably remove his family to that place in the near future.

Miss Anna Elsing Chicago's favorite singer, 12 years of age, will appear between acts with Ellers' Ten Nights in a Bar-Room Co., Nov. 24th.

The freight service is most miserable on this road at present. If the local chooses to come one day, it comes; if not, it just waits until the following day.

A fund of \$13.85 was subscribed by the business men last week for the negro boys who gave the alarm of fire when the Bonanza came near being destroyed.

Miss Mamie Rochey entertained a number of friends Tuesday evening—the occasion being her seventeenth birthday. The hours passed most delightfully.

The granite quarries, the saw-mills and the factories all say that they will have to suspend operations unless they can secure better car service from the railroad.

Chas. J. Tual is tearing down the old Tong property on Knob street, which he purchased some time ago, preparatory to building him a new home on the premises.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, my household and kitchen furniture and dishes. Must be sold at once. Apply at once at the Blue Store.

MRS. L. BLEMEL.

There will be an adjourned meeting of the ministers on Monday, Nov. 23d, at 4 P. M., at the office of Rev. Geo. Steel.

W. S. Acomb, Sec'y.

The section men were last Friday notified of reduction in their wages of from \$1.40 to \$1.25 per day. All along the line they refused to work and walked home.

The series of meetings at the Baptist church closed Wednesday evening of last week. The attendance on the meetings was good and considerable interest was shown.

The people on the Belmont branch have received word from the railroad company that there is no prospect of an immediate improvement in their train service.

Mrs. Blemel has been a neighbor of the REGISTER's for a good many years, and she has many friends here who are loath to see her depart. May success and happiness attend her in her new home.

The ladies of the Second Baptist church, Bellevue, Mo., will serve "An Old Fashioned Supper" on Saturday night, Nov. 21st, from 6 to 10, in the Masonic Hall. Adults, 25 cts; children, 15 cts. Come one, come all.

Rev. Humphreys tells the REGISTER that he is very pleasantly situated at Festus and likes his new surroundings very much. But for all that he says often thinks of the lovely Arcadia Valley and his many friends here.

A train crew captured a live deer which had got tangled in a wire fence, south of Piedmont, week before last. The deer was taken in custody, brought to Piedmont and sold to some man who proposes making a pet of it.

The burglarizing of the post-office at Pilot Knob last week recalls the fact that within the past year the post-offices at Arcadia and Middlebrook were also robbed, but up to the present there has been no clue leading to the guilty parties.

Jacob E. Grandhomme says that we were misinformed last week when we stated that he would remove to St. Louis the first of the year. He says he has no idea of leaving Ironton and will be found doing business at the old stand.

STRAYED—From the saw mill of D. C. Smith, at Smithboro, Reynolds county, Mo., two mules; one a heavy-set, mouse-colored mule; the other is a large black, with a crippled right front foot. A reasonable reward will be paid for their recovery.

A warrant was issued for L. J. Keenan on Thursday last week charging him with an assault with intent to kill on Josh Moon at Pilot Knob the day before. Keenan was held for the circuit court on a \$1,000 bond which he promptly furnished.

Mrs. M. J. Chamberlain met with quite a painful and serious accident Tuesday of last week. She was walking across a newly scrubbed floor and slipped and fell. Her shoulder was badly bruised and for several days she was unable to leave the room.

If some of the railroad officials would spend a few days at this place and see for themselves how thoroughly inadequate is the station here to the business transacted at this point we are quite certain there would be no more delay in giving us that new depot.

There have been no developments in regard to the safe blowing at the Pilot Knob post-office Wednesday night of last week. It is thought that a couple of strangers who were loafing about the town for a day or two previous were probably the guilty parties.

J. A. Markham and George H. Russell are no longer together in gardening at Pittsburg, Kansas. Mr. Markham is conducting the garden by himself. Mr. Howard Russell expects to leave here in the spring and join his brother at Pittsburg and they will engage in truck farming.

The people of the Belmont branch are making a great effort to have the run of the Bismarck accommodation train extended to Charleston. Such a run would necessitate the employment of two crews where one is now at work, and the opinion seems to be that the company will be very slow in making any such change.

Few plays in the English Language appeal to the sympathies of the heart for human suffering, as does Ten Nights in a Bar-Room. It will be presented by Ellers' Big Company Tuesday, Nov. 24th, at

the Academy of Music with every attention to detail. This company carries one of the finest bands and orchestra on the road. Don't fail to hear it.

Mrs. T. G. Peterson was called to Marion, Ill., last week to see her father, Rev. A. H. Seay, who is sick and not expected to recover. She will spend a few weeks there visiting her old friends and relatives. The parson will have a lonesome time, as his daughters are all away from home teaching.

The engineers and firemen on the Iron Mountain recently appointed a committee to wait upon the railway officials and ask for an increase of wages, but the railway officials beat them to it by granting them the increase slightly greater than what they would have asked for. When the committee called they were not permitted to state their mission, the officials informing them that the increase was granted before their arrival.—Charleston Enterprise.

The 10th of December is the date set for the annual Bazar of St. Paul's, Ironton. Many articles for sale will be found suitable for Christmas gifts. Dinner and supper will be served as usual. Prizes to be awarded in several departments will be on exhibition in the near future. Your interest and patronage is solicited, and we hope to satisfy all who come. An entertainment will be given in the evening by the children.

LADIES OF ST. PAUL'S GUILD.

Chas. Cackley, about fifty-five years of age, was arrested near Caledonia last Monday on the charge of obtaining a pension under an assumed name. Cackley's story is an interesting one. When a boy about fourteen he enlisted in an Iowa company. After three years' service he returned home. One day when on a spree he was taken in charge by the constable, whom he shot and killed and a day or two later made his escape from jail. He landed in Washington county where he has lived ever since. On arriving there he assumed the name of John Beck. Shortly after he took up his home in Washington county he concluded to apply for a pension. He was afraid to apply in his own name for fear that the Iowa people might in that way learn of his whereabouts and take him in custody. So he applied for a pension under the name of Isaac Beck, an old comrade, whom he had heard was dead. The pension was granted him and his vouchers came regularly for years until the real Isaac Beck, who was not dead, applied for a pension and then an investigation was started by the Department which told the story of Cackley's life. Cackley was taken to St. Louis Tuesday and on pleading guilty Judge Adams gave him a sentence of thirty days in the Iron county jail. It is said that the Iowa authorities do not want him for the killing of so long ago.

PERSONAL.

Adolph Lopez spent last week in Ironton.

Miss Belle Mufley went to St. Louis Friday.

Mrs. Blemel paid a visit to Farmington last week.

J. C. Watson, of Farmington, was in Ironton this week.

Collector Richardson, of St. Francois county was in town Sunday.

W. R. Edgar and daughter, Miss Maude, were in St. Louis last week.

Chas. L. Stevenson, of Bruno, was a caller at this office last Thursday.

Mrs. Dr. Suma and children, of St. Louis, were at their home in Russellville Sunday.

John T. Burks, of Farmington, was in Ironton last Saturday on his way home from Reynolds county.

Rev. and Mrs. E. P. Keach returned to-day (Thursday) to Springfield, Ark., after a two weeks' visit in the Valley.

FOR RENT—The Lopez cottage, Ironton, Mo. Apply to J. Lopez.

Wedding Bells.

Married, at the home of the bride's father, Nov. 8, 1903, Mr. L. O. Young, of Greentop, Mo., and Miss Orta B. Huff, of Vulcan, Mo. The wedding was a quiet affair, only a few relatives were present. The ceremony was performed about twelve o'clock, by Rev. John Alcorn, after which the company repaired to the bountifully spread table and partook of the wedding dinner prepared for them. The bride and groom left the same evening for Greentop their future home, accompanied by the bride's sister, Miss Bertha Huff.

We wish them a long, prosperous, and happy life. May their future life be as bright and full of sunshine as was the day they were made one, is the wish of

ONE WHO WAS PRESENT.

Obituary.

Died, at the home of her father-in-law, D. P. Brown, of Lance, Mo., on Oct. 29th, 1903, Mrs. Daisy E. Brown, nee Hart, age 19 years, 10 months and 27 days. She was born in Iron county, Mo., Dec. 2, 1883, being the oldest daughter of Geo. and Martha Hart. The deceased was married on Sept. 30th, just twenty-nine days prior to her death, to Robt. Brown, of Lance, Mo. She professed religion and joined the Bethany Baptist church in Oct. 1901, and was baptised by Rev. Henry Polk, who also officiated at her marriage and preached her funeral Oct. 30th, at 2 o'clock. Her remains were laid to rest in Lance cemetery. Daisy was a bright, cheerful, young lady and possessed many qualities that causes one to be greatly missed, yet we realize that our loss is her eternal gain and can only say the will of God be done.

A RELATIVE.

Golden and Silver Wedding.

The double celebration at the home of Cyrus Russell, Nov. 10, 1903, was a most enjoyable occasion to all present. That being the golden anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Russell and the silver anniversary of Rev. and Mrs. Edwin P. Keach. The house was decorated with yellow and white chrysanthemums. Light refreshments were served at four o'clock. A large "bride's loaf" bearing fifty wax candles, the gift of a friend, occupied a conspicuous place. After a service of song, the pastor, Rev. W. S. Acomb read Psalms ninety and twenty three, and prayer was offered by the former pastor, Rev. Thos. F. Marshall. Some reminiscences were indulged in and extracts read from letters of congratulation. A number of useful, beautiful and valuable gifts were received by both couples from friends near and far. Those present outside of the immediate family were: Rev. and Mrs. Acomb, Rev. Thos. F. Marshall, Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Farrar, Miss Mary Russell, Mrs. E. S. Metcalf, Miss Florence Daly, Howard Russell. But one regret marred the pleasure of the occasion, viz: that the frail health of Mrs. Russell made it impossible to receive the many friends whom they desired to invite.

Des Arc Items.

There is a car famine at present. Des Arc has an order for forty-one empty cars for lumber, hubs and wood, and to give it a finishing touch the section men have gone on a strike.

I was at Annapolis Saturday and saw a letter from Gus Funk saying he will move his hub factory in the near future down south. I also passed by Tom Jackson's chicken farm. He has a well arranged chicken house etc., some forty feet long with different departments and has over seven hundred hens, saying nothing about the ducks and geese.

The wheelbarrow-man was here one time and carried away about \$2.00, he received \$7.00 under stand, at Ironton and \$4.00 at Piedmont. His "trolleyette" weighs about seventy pounds. He is wearing his eighth pair of shoes since he started on this trip. He makes twenty miles per day. He was at Poplar Bluff Saturday; his wife and child travels by rail, and they met him at the Bluff. He says he has been robbed three times.

This is the warmest November I ever saw in Missouri. In 1802, forty-one years ago, in November the Confederate army were in line of battle near Orleans, Culpepper county, Va., covering the retreat of Gen. Lee's army from the valley of Virginia. Snow fell the entire day; I think it was about the 4th of November. The men's clothes were frozen on them. In the evening rain fell and the ground was covered with ice. The soldiers went into camp about seven o'clock without tents; in a short time they had fires built and wrapped themselves in their blankets and were soon sound asleep, forgetting for the time the miserable day they had spent. Sometimes I wondered how they ever stood it, and you seldom saw a soldier with a cold. I then was a member of Fitz Lee's Cavalry, Co. I, 5th Virginia Regiment, C. S. A.

Dr. N. A. Farr and wife attended lodge at Annapolis Monday.

Miss Blanche Fitz and Ora Lovelace visited in Ironton Wednesday. Jos. D. Hickman spent a few days there also.

Jas. Lovelace, Art. Myers, Chas. Williams and Ed. Maddock, brakemen on the I. M. R. R., were all at home Saturday. We are always glad to welcome our home boys.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Miller visited relatives here Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Black visited friends in Bismarck Sunday.

Will Treese and Fred Armstrong spent Sunday in Des Arc.

ISAAC.

FOR SALE.—Reed Bros. of Des Arc, Mo., are now selling their nursery stock, namely apples, peaches and pears, at a great reduction. Apple trees, first-class, all varieties, two years old, four to six feet high, 10 cents each or \$80 per 1000. Prices on other stocks in proportion. Any one desiring fruit trees would do well to call on or address J. T. REED, Des Arc, Mo.

Roselle Items.

After a few weeks of delay owing to so much illness, we shall again send in a few items from this point. The health of the vicinity is much better than usual, among those that are yet confined to their beds are: Gracie Hart, Emmet Lewis and Geo. Phillip. But all are improving except Gracie; she is suffering with tuberculosis and has also had a long siege of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Euseba Polk, of Doe Run, has returned home after having spent a few days with friends and relatives.

Miss Hulda Rock, of Fredericktown, has been visiting friends and relatives in Lance and Roselle of late.

Jas. Tesro and sons are putting in a new saw mill east of St. Francois River, on the Gravel Road, and will have same in operation in a few days.

Mr. Jessie Inman has completed his new barn and Thos. Austin his residence.

Frank Inman is building a new school house for Brewer Creek district.

Mrs. Minta Henry has returned to her home in Ironton, after having spent several weeks at Mr. Geo. Hart's.

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Weather Report.

Meteorological report of Voluntary Observer at Ironton, Iron county, Mo., for the week ending Tuesday, Nov. 17, 1903:

Days of Week.	Temp.ature.		Precipitation.
	Highest.	Lowest.	
Wednesday	11 54 44	15	
Thursday	12 64 24		
Friday	13 53 32		
Saturday	14 56 33		
Sunday	15 70 34		
Monday	16 70 38	.05	
Tuesday	17 35 25		

NOTE.—The precipitation includes rain, hail, sleet and melted snow and is recorded in inches and hundredths. Ten inches of snow equal one inch of rain. "T" indicates trace of precipitation.

W. H. DELANO, Observer.

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On September 5, 1903, a young man came into my place of business and got a watch that had been left there for repairs. By mistake I gave him the wrong watch. He had ticket 21 and I gave him watch ticketed 31. The watch is Waltham movement, open face, silver screw case, 16 size, with a gold-plated chain attached. I will pay \$5.00 for the recovery of the watch and no questions asked.

H. W. ADOLPH.
Ironton, Mo., Nov. 11, 1903.

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